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In re Application of: Francis J. Carr

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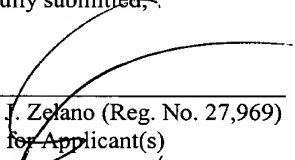
Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated August 11, 2003.

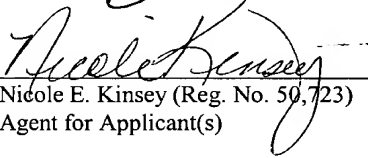
In response to the restriction requirement, applicants elect, with traverse, "peptides" from the "mixture of molecules" and the recognition site for Factor Xa.

No fee is believed to be due with this response, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3402.

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